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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b) is a nonprovisional patent application:

For (Title): A BUSINESS PROCESS FOR INCREASING WIN PROBABILITY IN  
LARGE COMPLEX CONTRACT COMPETITIONS

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- ☒ 33 pages of Specification/Claims 1-14/Abstract are attached.  
☒ Formal drawings (Fig(s). 1-4; 4 sheets) are attached.  
☒ A Declaration is attached.  
☒ A Power of Attorney is attached.  
☐ An assignment of the invention to \_\_\_\_\_ is attached, along with Form PTO-1595 and a check for \$40.00.  
☐ An Information Disclosure Statement is attached, along with Form PTO-1449, and \_\_\_\_\_ reference(s).  
☒ **This application is entitled to Small Entity Status.**  
☐ A Preliminary Amendment is attached.  
☐ Priority of foreign application No. \_\_\_\_\_ filed \_\_\_\_\_ in \_\_\_\_\_ is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119.  
☐ A certified copy of the above corresponding foreign application is attached.

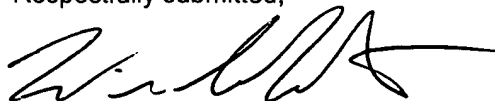
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BASIC FEE		
TOTAL CLAIMS	14 - 20	= 0
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SMALL ENTITY			LARGE ENTITY	
RATE	FEE	OR	RATE	FEE
	\$ 375	OR		\$ 750
x 9 =	\$ 0	OR	x 18	\$
x 42 =	\$ 42	OR	x 84	\$
+140 =	\$ 0	OR	+280	\$
TOTAL	\$ 417	OR	TOTAL	\$

- ☒ A check in the amount of \$417.00 is attached. Please charge any fee deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0548.

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